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Attention: Jeff S. Jordan, Assistant General Counsel, Complaints Examination & Legal
Administration (jjordan@fec.gov)
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Re: MUR 7014 and MUR 7017 – Designation of Counsel and Request for
Extension

Dear Mr. Jordan and Ms. Rawls:

We represent respondent, DE First Holdings, in MURs 7014 and 7017. Enclosed please
find a Statement of Designation of Counsel for each matter.

Your letters regarding these MURs were received by the respondent's registered agent on
February 29, 2016, and March 4, 2016, respectively. The two contemporaneously filed
complaints are based on substantially identical factual allegations. In order to allow time to
investigate the matters and prepare a consolidated response, we respectfully request an extension
of time to respond to both complaints until April 18, 2016, which is thirty days from the date a
written response is due in MUR 7017.

Thank you for your consideration. Please contact me at the above phone number or email
address if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



Lawrence H. Norton

Enclosures



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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

Provide one form for each Respondent/Witness

202-219-3923

MUR # 7014

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the

Commission.

DE First Holdings

By Delaware Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as trustee

Alan R. Halpern
Vice President

3/10/16
Date

[Signature]
Signature (Respondent/Agent)

Title

RESPONDENT: DE First Holdings

(Committee Name/ Company Name/Individual Named in Notification Letter)

Mailing Address: Delaware Trust Company, Trustee
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